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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
TOSHIKANE KAMESHIMA ) Examiner: Not Yet Assigned  
Appln. No.: 10/540,423 ) : Art Unit: 2811  
Filed: June 24, 2005 ) : Conf. No.: 9264  
For: PHOTOELECTRIC CONVERTING )  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning at page 2, and the Remarks begin at page 7.